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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 3, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-249

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl as indicated below and per the Announcement for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Aug. 20. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Aug. 24. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 1 to Oct. 15.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54 kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. **Note that some item numbers and the associated quantities for frozen cooked diced chicken have been set-aside for small business concerns and are indicated by a single asterisk.** Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-249, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated July 1999, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbcl000.exe?>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-249, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY249
 INVITATION : 003
 COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
 COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN
 PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/01 - 10/15/01				
001	YANTIC	CT		80,000 *
002	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
003	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
004	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 *
005	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	14,000
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	26,000
006	ASHLAND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	21,200
	NORFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	18,800
007	CHARLESTON	WV		40,000 *
008	BIRMINGHAM	AL		40,000 *
009	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 *
010	TAMPA	FL		40,000
011	ALBANY	GA	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
012	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
013	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 *
014	LOUISA	KY	TRUCK ONLY	20,240
	MARTIN	TN	TRUCK ONLY	19,760
015	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	18,320
	OWENSBORO	KY	TRUCK ONLY	21,680
016	JACKSON	MS		40,000 *
017	BUTNER	NC	TRUCK ONLY	120,000
018	CHARLOTTE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
019	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	120,000
020	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	26,240
	SOMERSET	KY	TRUCK ONLY	13,760
021	CHARLOTTE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	24,000

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022	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	6,120
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	33,880
023	KALAMAZOO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	80,000 *
024	BURNSVILLE	MN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
025	COLUMBUS	OH		40,000 *
026	DAYTON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	23,840
	SPRINGFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	16,160
027	BATON ROUGE	LA		40,000
028	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		40,000
029	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
030	MASON CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	SIOUX CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
031	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
032	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
033	SIOUX FALLS	SD		40,000 *
034	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
035	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
036	SACRAMENTO	CA		40,000
037	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,800,000

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Contracting Officer

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